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## RESPONSE TO SECOND NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed February 4, 2005, enclosed is the completed Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85B.

The Issue Fee was initially paid in response to the original Notice of Allowance mailed October 20, 2003, but Applicants withdrew the application from issuance. The Commissioner is authorized to apply the remaining balance of the small entity fees, in the amount of \$35.00 including two (2) patent copies, and any other charges or credits to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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